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G. WORMSER & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

General

Merchandise

We carry the Largest Stock of

GROCERIES, DRY GOODS,

And FURNISHING GOODS in the Southwest.

Mining Supplies.

Full Line Farm and Spring Wagons Always on Hand

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Ladies' and Men's Boots and Shoes a Specialty.

Suits made to order and Fit Guaranteed.

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DEMING LAND AND WATER CO.

Are now offering Desirable Lots and Blocks of

LAND

In Parcels of One to Twenty Acres, surrounding the Town of Deming, conveniently located to the depot and postoffice, with

Permanent Water Rights At Reasonable Figures.

They have an inexhaustible supply of Water, and will be able to furnish sufficient irrigation for all the land they sell. Those contemplating settling in Deming would do well to apply soon and secure lands and lots nearest the reservoir and pipelines. The Company will sell the

Lands on Easy Payments.

TERMS, Twenty-five per cent on the first payment, the other payments to be divided to suit the purchaser at the low rate of 6 per cent per annum.

A miner's lock of water is equal to 9 gallons per minute. 18,500 gallons of water will cover one acre of ground one-half inch deep; 250 gallons of water per minute will cover one acre of land one-half inch deep in one hour. 2,500 gallons of water per minute will cover ten acres one-half inch deep in one hour, or 240 acres in 24 hours, or 2400 acres every ten days. This, when everything is flooded once in ten days; but in fruit orchards and vineyards, where the rows are wide apart and the watering confined to the rows, less than half the water is required. Alfalfa requires only one flooding after each cutting, and is usually cut about once a month for the season of six months. Canirge requires water only twice a year.

Estimated Value of Crops Produced in this Section Under Irrigation, when Property Cultivated.

Corn, oats and barley.....	\$ 50 to \$ 75 per acre
Alfalfa and Canalsgre.....	50 to 75 "
Sweet potatoes.....	250 to 350 "
Assorted vegetables.....	200 to 350 "
Apples, peaches and pears.....	200 to 500 "
Small fruits.....	200 to 500 "
Grapes.....	200 to 500 "

Water rental \$10 to \$20 per acre per annum. Price of lands, with water rights, \$100 to \$300 per acre, according to distance from town.

JOHN CORBETT.

F. K. WYMAN.

GORBETT & WYMAN CO.,

Ore Samplers and Buyers.

Deming, New Mexico.

ASSAY DEPARTMENT.

PRICES AS FOLLOWS ON HAND SAMPLES.

Silver,.....	\$1.00
Gold,.....	1.00
Lead,.....	1.00
Any two, same pulp,.....	1.50
All three, same pulp,.....	2.00

Other Metals in Proportion.

OPPOSITE THE DEPOT.
P. O. BOX 108.

CORBETT & WYMAN CO

COL. P. R. SMITH TALKS

Denounced the Chicago Story as a Wanton and Malicious Slander.

EXCURSIONS COMING HERE.

The First Special Train Will Arrive About the Fifteenth—People Looking for Homes in the Southwest—Some Come With a View to Establishing Industries—Col. Smith Says he Will Hold These to Account Who Circulated the Story.

Col. P. R. Smith, of the Deming Land & Water company, informs the HEADLIGHT, that on the 14th or 15th of the present month the first of a series of five or six excursions will arrive here from the east, comprised of parties looking for locations in this western country and especially in Deming. The first excursion will number about fifty people and will come in over the Rock Island & Texas Pacific from Chicago. Other excursions will follow at short intervals. The persons who come on them are all well to do and comprise many in search of a health giving climate, where they may carry on light agricultural or other pursuits. The citizens of Deming will extend every courtesy to their guests.

Col. Smith was also asked by the HEADLIGHT man concerning the publication by a Silver City paper of an article reflecting upon him and his management of the company's affairs, copied from a Chicago journal. "The entire story," says the Col. "is a wanton and malicious falsehood, and the parties circulating it will be held responsible for their action. There is a libel in every sentence. If Mr. Foster did make the statements attributed to him, he simply lied. He made thorough investigation both by attorney and in person and as many people here know, admitted that everything was just as represented and expressed himself well satisfied. I went to Chicago on the 31st ult, for the sole purpose of answering Foster's complaint and was told by his lawyer that no declaration had been filed, and he did not think that any would be. I requested that Mr. Foster would furnish me with a copy of his complaint which he refused to do, and which shows that Foster's object was to annoy and harass, and not because he expected to sustain his suit. The affairs of the company were never in better condition, and Mr. Foster's course has been due to the fact that he could not succeed in a "freeze-out" game which he attempted. As to the personal statements concerning myself, they will receive proper attention in due time. Unless the unforeseen occurs, the plans of the management will be carried to immediate and successful completion. We will go right ahead preparing to irrigate land, supplying the city with water, and bringing people here to settle in a way that will make Deming one of the most favored localities in the west."

One party anticipates putting up a foundry and machine shop, another a tannery and another a nursery on an extensive scale, besides several other enterprises of considerable importance to Deming.

Cattle Quarantines.

Gov. Waite has issued a proclamation proceeding against Oklahoma on account of the discovery that New Mexican herders who were barred from driving their herds into Colorado under the quarantine established a month ago were driving them into a strip with the intention of entering Colorado from that Territory. New Mexico will probably retaliate with a quarantine against Colorado sheep.

Letter List

List of letters remaining uncalled for Deming, N. M., P. O. week ending Sept. 3th 1894.

Alonso Benule	Aragon Calisto
Alonso Martin	Allen T. L.
Cano Jacinto	Delgado Manuel
Glendon Minnie	Hall Nathan
Hearst A. J.	Martin Wright
Nabeya Marcos	Nanez Eugenio
Pothoff T. A.	Powell Jeanne C. S.
Perkins M.	Rodriguez Favian
Sineros Condelaria	Santa Atascio
Trujillo Sabes	Walt James

Walking James

J. P. Brown, P. M.

Notice.

Any one who is contemplating the purchase of a bicycle should not fail to first consult A. R. Simons who now carries a complete line of twelve different makes, consisting of high, low and medium grade cycles—including the world famous Palmer tires which are guaranteed against puncture.

Prices and terms beyond competition.

For Probate Clerk.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of county clerk of Grant county, subject to the endorsement of the Grant county republican convention.

R. D. POWELL.

They Are Boys Too.

Louis Holtzman came into town Sunday morning wearing a smile that would have done credit to a professional clown. It was all on account of a little boy that came to bless his home the night before. Legie swears that he weighs fifty pounds already but his friends think that there must be some exaggeration. Mother and child being well.

Sigmund Lindauer informed his friends Thursday morning that there was another populist in town and when asked as to his name, said that it had not been decided upon. The friends then walked inside with Mr. Lindauer. Mr. Lindauer says he has reached the conclusion that neither of the old parties are conducive to boys and that is the real reason he organized the pops—to speak. All getting along nicely.

Important Knights of Pythias Action.

The much mooted German question was decided by the supreme lodge Knights of Pythias Thursday by a decisive vote against permitting the use of the ritual in other than the English language. The sitting in the committee of the whole lodge, has approved the report that saloon keepers, bartenders and professional gamblers be declared ineligible for admission to the order in the future.

A Camping Party.

A jolly camping party, chaperoned by Mrs. C. R. McCullom will leave to-morrow on a week's outing on the Mimbres. The young ladies and gentlemen are counting upon a good time and they will undoubtedly have it. Those going are Misses Sealey, Field, Lillian Smith, Kendrick, Raitzel, Messrs. Holliday, Paschal Smith, Stewart, Beale and Guiney.

Cattle From Mexico.

Lord Beresford, who has large cattle interests in the northern portion of Chihuahua, will bring over one thousand head of cattle to this point and ship to eastern markets within a week or so. Several other cattlemen are making arrangements to take advantage of the new tariff law and bring their stock across the line.

New Barber Shop.

John Koskey has opened up a first class barber shop in the building adjoining the Cabinet saloon formerly occupied by Otto Smith where he will be pleased to have the citizens of Deming call upon him. Mr. Koskey comes here with the very best of recommendations and in addition to being a good barber is also a fine musician.

Married by Judge Marshall.

Andrew Jex, the well known and popular proprietor of the St. James Hotel, was united in matrimony this afternoon to Mrs. Vera Okroupa, a most estimable lady, Judge Marshall performing the ceremony. The many friends of the happy couple will wish them every success in life.

Will Purchase the Lots.

The ladies having in charge the gymnasium project have made arrangements for the purchase of two lots on Pine street, between Gold and Copper avenues, immediately east of the Carr place. The location is an excellent one and the ladies are to be congratulated upon their inexhaustible energy.

For Probate Clerk.

R. L. Powell, the efficient county surveyor, announces himself as a candidate for the republican nomination of probate clerk in this issue. Mr. Powell is well known about the country, has the qualifications necessary for the office, and would make a most popular candidate.

The Senora Gold Fields.

As none of the prospecting parties that recently left Deming for the newly discovered gold fields in Sonora have returned the real value of them has not been ascertained, but reports from the south from time to time would indicate that they are very rich.

When They Will Meet.

The democratic primaries will be called to order in the opera house to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock sharp and it is especially desired that everybody be there by that time.

The republicans are requested to come together at eight o'clock sharp to-morrow evening.

Strawberry Plants for Sale.

Strawberry plants for sale, thirty-five cents per hundred. Call on or address GEORGE WEALEY.

A carload of oats just received at Clark & Co's.

Spring chickens at Clark & Co's.

Fresh oysters at Pratt's.

BITS OF EVERYTHING.

What Has Occurred to Interest the Reading Public.

THE PRIMARIES SATURDAY.

The Government Will Not Present A. O. Bailey—No Mexican Celebration on September 16th—Quail Season Now On—Cattlemen Making Fall Contracts—Amateurs Entertaining and the Purchase of Lots for the Proposed Gymnasium Building.

The quail season has opened.

Silver was quoted at 84½ to-day and lead weak at \$9.15.

The Santa Fe car is expected here about the 15th inst.

There is some talk of local talent presenting an opera during the winter.

The Southern Pacific pay car made glad the employees here on the 5th.

The members of the Congregational Congregation expect to have a permanent pastor here shortly.

The local populist party will send a representation to the coming Territorial gathering at Albuquerque.

Navajo Bill is enjoying a brief vacation in the Silver City jail having been sent up for disorderly conduct.

The regular meeting of the fire department was held Thursday evening. Routine business was transacted.

A report has been current that Kid, the notorious Apache, had been killed. There is nothing to verify the rumor.

A number of the married folks have organized a dancing class and announced M. E. Stewart as "professor."

Cattlemen are making fall contracts and a large number of shipments will be made from this point during the coming months.

The regular band concert will be given this evening, instead of to-morrow the change being made on account of the primaries.

T. S. Robinson will leave Sunday for Albuquerque where he will represent Deming Lodge No. 6, I. O. O. F. in the Grand Lodge sessions.

The members of the band are contemplating a minstrel performance for the purpose of raising funds to carrying on their musical organization.

For energetic sportsmen be it known that good sport is to be found on top of the little Floridas several large coveys of quail were seen there this week.

It is understood that the government will not prosecute in the case against A. O. Bailey charged with interfering with the Mexican mails upon United States soil.

C. L. Betterton, Deputy Collector of Customs at Santa Fe and well known here, lost his infant daughter by death this week. The little one was aged eight months.

The sampler has received its regular consignments of ore within the past few days, Kingston, Carlisle and the Mimbres Consolidated Mining Company sending in their quota.

The supper given in the opera house Tuesday evening by the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church was well attended and was a success financially as well as to the public.

The Mexican population of Deming will not observe the 16th of September as has been customary heretofore. This action is not due to a lack of patriotism but the prevailing hard times.

Major J. W. Wham, paymaster, U. S. army, well known in military circles throughout the southwest, is charged with embezzlement, and is to be tried by a military court at Vancouver barracks.

Both the democratic and republican primaries will be held this evening, the democrats transacting business in the opera house and the republicans in the McGroarty building, corner of Silver avenue and Spruce street, formerly occupied as a postoffice. The populists have not decided upon a date as yet.

DO YOU KNOW THESE FOLKS?

HUGH A. TREL is in from his mines at Cook's Peak.

Remember that the Racket is the cheapest place in town to buy everything.

MAX HEYMANN returned from his gun Francisco-trip Wednesday.

Fleishman & Beale have just received another carload of that celebrated Colorado flour.

J. A. MARONEY went up to Silver City Wednesday to attend to some business matters.

Fine fresh candles at Pratt's.

The boss place to buy goods at H. H. Kidder's.

JUDGE JOSEPH BOOKER went down to El Paso Thursday to look after some legal matters.

The best loaded shells only 50 cents per box at Mahoney's.

Flour, shorts and bran at H. H. Kidder's.

KARL HEYMANN is contemplating accepting a lucrative business situation in San Francisco.

Do not wear impermeable and tight-fitting hats that constrict the blood-vessels of the scalp. Use Hall's Hair Renewer occasionally, and you will not be bald.

SHIM HOLSTEIN was in from the N. A. N. ranch this week, looking as hale and hearty as ever.

Hood's pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Harmless, reliable, sure.

JOHN KROCK, a candidate for the democratic nomination of collector, was getting his fences in shape here Thursday.

You can get what you want almost for nothing at the Racket.

Fresh lemons at Pratt's.

JOHN B. HODGSON, E. H. MATTHEWS, HENRY PACTY and JOHN STENSON ably represented Deming at Las Cruces this week.

Come and see our beehive on Saturday nights at H. H. Kidder's.

Fall and winter clothing, overcoats, hats and gent's furnishings goods just received by N. A. Bolich.

MISS ZONA COLLINS, of this city is attending the Normal school in Silver City. Miss Collins was a most apt scholar here and will undoubtedly make a reputation for herself up there.

Try the snowflake crackers at Pratt's and you will call for more.

Meats and fresh candles at H. H. Kidder's.

Fancy and staple groceries of all kinds at R. M. Hughes's.

M. O. BICKNELL was summoned to his home in Indiana very unexpectedly this morning, having received a telegram yesterday that she was not expected to live. It is to be hoped that her condition is not so bad as stated.

Tomatoes, cabbage, sweet potatoes, cantaloupes and all vegetables at Fleishman & Beale.

4 piece set table glassware 25 cents at Mahoney's.

The finest peaches, grapes and apples—all from the Mimbres river at H. H. Kidder's.

NINA and ANNIE CLARK will attend school at the Silver City Convent during the winter. They will go up about the 14th inst. These little ladies will undoubtedly make rapid progress under the able supervision of the Sisters.

The very best beef in Deming for sale only by Stensen.

Fine line of crackers and jumbles just received at Pratt's.

The only way to cure fever and ague is either to neutralize the poisons which cause the disease or to expel them from the system. Ayer's Ague Cure operates in both ways. It is a warranted specific for all forms of malarial disorders, and never fails to cure. Try it.

Real merit is characteristic of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it is manifested every day in the remarkable cures this medicine accomplishes. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the kind. Try it.

MISS ETTA ASHENFELTER left on Thursday's train for Denver where she will attend school at Wolfe Hall during the coming term. Her father accompanied her, and will return to Deming in about a week. Mrs. Ashenfelter and daughter, Anna, also left on a short visit to relatives in Silver City the same day.



COPPER RIVETED OVERALLS AND SPRING BOTTOM PANTS EVERY PAIR GUARANTEED.

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